

REMARKS

Claims 1-3, 7 and 10-13 are rejected under 35 USC 102a as being anticipated by US patent publication 2005/0231290 to Hung et al. and Claims 8, 9, and 14 are rejected under 35 USC 103a as being unpatentable over US patent publication 2005/0231290 to

5 **Hung et al.**

To overcome the rejection of claims 1-3, 7 and 10-13 and 8, 9, and 14, a signed statement certifying the translation of Taiwan application No. 092113644 into English is attached. The Taiwan application is relied upon for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C 119(a)-(d).

10 The Taiwan application has been translated into English, and the translation into English is certified by Michael Lee, who is fluent in both Chinese and English. The attached English translation certification provides proof that all subject matter contained in the above-identified US application was also taught in the corresponding Taiwan application.

15 Since the priority date (05/20/2003) of the Taiwan application is earlier than the earliest effective US filing date (14/19/2004) of the Hung et al. (US 2005/0231290) published patent application, the foreign priority papers, the attached translation, and the certified statement effectively overcome the rejection of claims 1-3, 7 and 10-13 and 8, 9, and 14 using the Hung et al. patent.

20 In view of the above, applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Sincerely yours,

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15 Attachments